### **Department of Veterans Affairs**

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§§ 19.77-19.99 [Reserved]

### Subpart E—Simultaneously Contested Claims

## $\S\,19.100\,$ Notification of right to appeal in simultaneously contested claims.

All interested parties will be specifically notified of the action taken by the agency of original jurisdiction in a simultaneously contested claim and of the right and time limit for initiation of an appeal, as well as hearing and representation rights.

(Authority: 38 U.S.C. 7105A(a))

# § 19.101 Notice to contesting parties on receipt of Notice of Disagreement in simultaneously contested claims.

Upon the filing of a Notice of Disagreement in a simultaneously contested claim, all interested parties and their representatives will be furnished a copy of the Statement of the Case The Statement of the Case so furnished will contain only information which directly affects the payment or potential

payment of the benefit(s) which is (are) the subject of that contested claim. The interested parties who filed Notices of Disagreement will be duly notified of the right to file, and the time limit within which to file, a Substantive Appeal and will be furnished with VA Form 9, "Appeal to Board of Veterans' Appeals."

(Authority: 38 U.S.C. 7105A(b))

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# § 19.102 Notice of appeal to other contesting parties in simultaneously contested claims.

When a Substantive Appeal is filed in a simultaneously contested claim, the content of the Substantive Appeal will be furnished to the other contesting parties to the extent that it contains information which could directly affect the payment or potential payment of the benefit which is the subject of the contested claim.

(Authority: 38 U.S.C. 7105A(b))

#### APPENDIX A TO PART 19—CROSS-REFERENCES

Sec.	Cross-reference	Title of cross-referenced material or comment
19.5	38 CFR 14.507(b)	See re "precedent opinions" of the General Counsel of the Department of Veterans Affairs.
	38 CFR 20.1303	Rule 1303. Nonprecedential nature of Board decisions.
19.7	38 CFR 20.905	Rule 905. Vacating a decision.
19.13	38 CFR 2.66	Contains similar provisions.
19.25	38 CFR 19.52	Notification to claimant of filing of administrative appeal.
	38 CFR 19.100	Notification of right to appeal in simultaneously contested claims.
19.26	38 CFR 20.302	Rule 302. Time limit for filing Notice of Disagreement, Substantive Appeal, and response to Supplemental Statement of the Case.
19.27	38 CFR 19.50-19.53	See re administrative appeals.
19.30	38 CFR 20.202	Rule 202. Substantive Appeal.
19.32	38 CFR 20.302	Rule 302. Time limit for filing Notice of Disagreement, Substantive Appeal, and response to Supplemental Statement of the Case.
	38 CFR 20.501	Rule 501. Time limits for filing Notice of Disagreement, Substantive Appeal, and re- sponse to Supplemental Statement of the Case in simultaneously contested claims.
19.33	38 CFR 19.50-19.53	See re administrative appeals.
	38 CFR 19.53	Restriction as to change in payments pending determination of administrative appeals.
19.76	38 CFR 20.704	Rule 704. Scheduling and notice of hearings conducted by traveling Sections of the Board of Veterans' Appeals at Department of Veterans Affairs field facilities.
19.100	38 CFR 20.713	
19.101	38 CFR 19.30	Furnishing the Statement of the Case and instructions for filing a Substantive Appeal.